

SUN BEAMS

by WALTER M. BARRETT

Nearly everyone likes dogs and the old maxim that dog is man's best friend is probably literally a fact. We are just wondering, however, if it isn't possible to carry our good will toward dogs too far. No less than a score of dogs can be counted on the main street here any hour of the day and while the majority of them are nice friendly fellows and tend strictly to their own business, others are not so nice. Some occupy the entire sidewalk and will not move for passing pedestrians and others seem to resent any interference with their siesta. One man was recently badly bitten on the leg and at least two children were knocked down by dogs and whether or not they were injured, we do not know, but they were scared sufficiently and as a result will not trust dogs as children should. We admit that dogs have a perfect right on the streets, but all vicious dogs should be kept housed.

The record attendance of snow sport fans on Donner Summit last Sunday again reminds us that after all there must be something to the idea. Fifteen thousand people in so small an area makes a big crowd.

We believe there is still time for Truckee to take advantage of the fact that it is the pioneer winter center of California and benefit from the influx of followers of the sport. We have much to offer but we are permitting others to gain from what we should have.

WEEKS BAY

by MRS. LEE GARNER

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stark were hosts at the successful gathering of the H. and W. Philanthropic Club held on the new meeting night, Monday. Mrs. Lee Garner was elected to continue as club correspondent and Chas. Heller and Lee Garner were named to attend to current club business.

Mrs. E. R. Beauvais and Floyd Carnell were high at the game of bingo which was played following the meeting and Mrs. Charles Heller and Thomas Skaggs held the consolation scores. Refreshments were enjoyed during the social hour. Mr. and Mrs. Tejas Edwards were initiated as new members.

A "Come as You Are" party next Monday evening promises to be a merry one and a pot luck dinner with all the members contributing to the meal will be a feature.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Geier entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heller and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Garner at a Sunday evening dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bowman have returned from a visit of a few days at Santa Rosa.

Mesdames Charles Heller and Phil Geier, committee in charge of the cake sale held at Walt's Market in Truckee reported a successful day. The entire supply was sold and more would have been purchased if available.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schumacher plan to leave this week for Fresno to visit with Mrs. Schumacher's mother and then will continue to Los Angeles for a visit.

GUN CLUB AT TAHOE EXTENDS INVITE TO NEW MEMBERS

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.—The Lake Tahoe Gun Club plans to obtain permission from the government to use the old CCC camp near Tahoe City for a pistol range and trap shooting range. The organization meets every Tuesday for practice on Tahoe Commons with pistols and small bore rifles.

It is the plan of the club to build up a team to attend meets with several of the valley gun clubs, invitations for which have already been received by the club.

Albert M. Henry, Jr., is the president of the club and officers extend an invitation to all good shots of the lake region to join.

SECOND ATTENDANCE CONTEST UNDER WAY

In the second attendance contest between the Methodist Church at Sparks and the Community Methodist Church of Truckee the latter took second place for the first two Sundays, but had the larger attendance last Sunday so will have the banner on display next Sunday.

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Carrau Disposes Of Interests In Lumber Business

Pioneer Lumberman Retires From Active Work In Truckee

Charles A. Carrau for the past 15 years manager and part owner of the Truckee-Tahoe Lumber Company, announced this week that he has disposed of his interests and plans to retire from active work for the time being.

Carrau did not indicate who the purchasers of his shares were. The Auburn Lumber Company has been jointly interested in the local project.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Carrau who have actively engaged in the lumber trade here for many years, will remain for a short time at the yard. A. Pace, an employee of the company will be retained as yard manager, it was indicated.

The Tahoe City yard of the company was also included in the transaction, it was announced.

The yard has formed a valuable asset to Truckee and the surrounding district.

TAHOE CLUB PLANS PRESIDENT'S PARTY SATURDAY NIGHT

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.—A special meeting of the directors and officers of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club was held at the home of President Floyd Carnell on Tuesday night to complete plans for the President's Birthday party which the organization is giving on Saturday, January 27th.

The party will be held at the Tahoe Community Center at 8 p. m. and will include dances, both modern and old fashioned, and various forms of card games.

Refreshments will be served by the entertainment committee of which Mrs. Carnell is chairman.

The president appointed the following as committee to rewrite the club's bylaws: Henry Worden, Carl Bechdel, Jr., Fred Settley and A. M. Anderson.

Plans were also made for a delegation to attend the meeting of the Sacramento branch of the Club in Sacramento Thursday, January 25th. Those to attend are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Worden, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Carnell, A. M. Anderson, Harry Johanson and Miss Florence Vernon.

Ski Club officers extend a hearty invitation to the Truckee contestants at the Junior Ski meet last weekend to attend the club meeting tomorrow evening as honored guests and receive the awards to be presented.

NEW RULE EFFECTS ENFORCEMENT OF TIRE CHAIN LAWS

A change has been adopted in the method of enforcing the compulsory tire chain rule in this state which is invoked from time to time during the winter on U. S. 40, it was announced by the California State Automobile association.

Hereafter when road conditions make the use of chains necessary for safety the highway department will place signs reading "Stop—Put on Chains." Formerly an officer was stationed to require them to put on the chains. The signs will be placed at points along the road where the chain order is to be enforced and those who drive beyond such points without chains will be subject to citation.

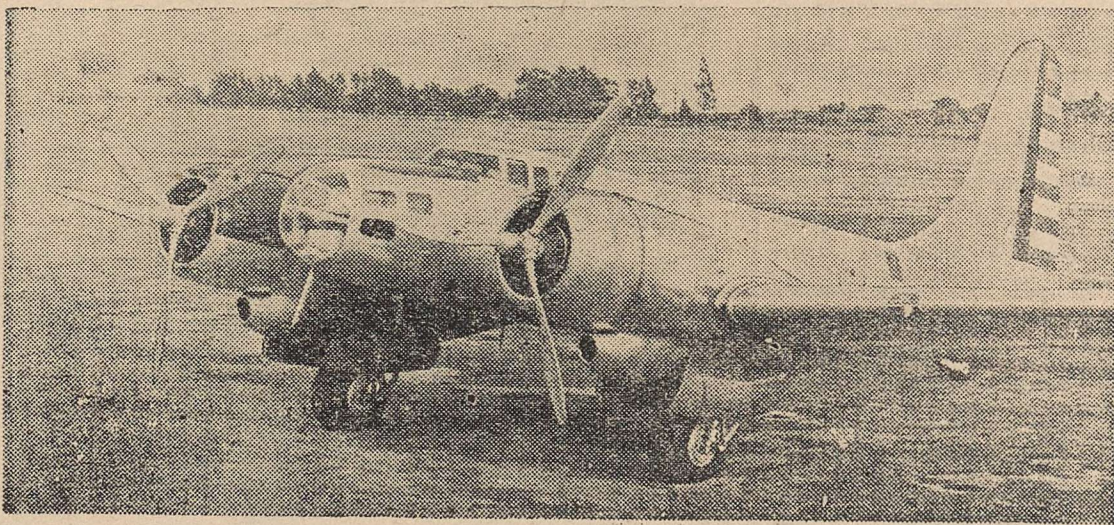
SNOW QUEEN DANCE POSTERS EXHIBITED

Posters are being displayed telling of the Snow Queen dance to be held at the grammar school auditorium Saturday night under the auspices of the Truckee Outing club.

In Sacramento—

Mr. and Mrs. William Englehart, Jr. are spending a few days in Sacramento.

ANOTHER NEW BOMBER MAKES DEBUT



SANTA MONICA—This censored Wide World Photo is a preview of the "B-23," a new high speed Douglas

bomber which Maj. General Henry H. Arnold, chief of the U. S. Army Air Corps, inspected at plant of its

builders in Santa Monica Built only for U. S., details of the plane are a closely guarded military secret.

Precipitation Is Far Over Normal

New Storm Moving Slowly In From Pacific, Says Forester

The light rain and snow storms of the past two days brought only .35 of an inch of precipitation to the Truckee area, H. I. Snider, forest ranger, who keeps a record at the ranger station here, reported this morning.

Two inches of new snow at the station brought the pack there to 20 inches, Snider said.

The precipitation for the month of January is now 9.49 inches or 4.31 inches over normal for the month. Seasonal precipitation, since September 1, has mounted to 15.33 inches, or 3.62 inches over normal for the year.

The normal annual precipitation in Truckee has been established at 23.41 inches, leaving only approximately eight inches yet to fall for the yearly average.

Two low pressure areas off the coast are slowly moving landward, Snider said, indicating continued unsettled weather with some snow in the mountain regions.

DISPOSITION OF FUND FOR HOLIDAY PARTY TOLD BY PTA LEADER

Mrs. E. G. Harris, president of the Truckee Union Parents and Teachers Association has expressed appreciation of the group for the help given in making the Community Christmas party a success.

All bills have been paid. The various organizations which donated to the party fund were as follows:

Odd Fellow—\$3.
Eastern Star—\$5.
Knights of Pythias—\$6.
Eagles—\$6.
Rotary Club—\$3.
Lions Club—\$6.
Pythian Sisters—\$3.
American Legion—\$3.
Wyethia Club—\$3.
Fire Department—\$3.
Chamber of Commerce—\$3.
P. T. A.—\$3.

The total amount raised was \$47. From this 178 gifts were purchased and given to children at a cost of \$28.59. Candles, nuts, oranges and containers amounted to \$13.38; miscellaneous \$1 and total tax \$1.05.

A balance of \$4.98 left from the sum collected will be used toward the party to be held during the next Christmas season.

The association will be glad to have the opinions of other organizations on continuation of the yearly party which has become a high light of the holiday week.

BOOKS AUDITED

Harry M. Straine, certified public accountant with his assistant from Sacramento have just completed the annual audit of the books of the Truckee Public Utility District. A report will be made later, it was announced.

ADVERTISE

ROTARY CLUB HOST TO 90 AT BANQUET HERE THIS WEEK

Ninety were present at the California Cafe Monday night when the Truckee Rotary Club was host to visiting Rotarians from Berkeley, Albany, Richmond, San Leandro, Oakland, Hayward and Niles, augmented by a delegation of 10 from Reno.

The guest of honor was Past District Governor Joe Burris of Oakland. Other notables included President Hugh Herd of Reno, President Walter Cole of Richmond, President Larry Walters of Albany, President Ed Perry of Hayward and President Ted Glassbrook of Niles.

Cliff Radston, president of the Berkeley Club took charge of the meeting which was opened by Verne Pearson, president of the Truckee club. The program was featured by talks on Rotary fellowship and with musical selections.

Prior to the meeting the visitors enjoyed a series of exhibition jumps by local skiers, who were invited to join the club in the banquet. These jumpers included Dave Renner, Byron Johnson, Harry Digest, Dave Bolder and Kenneth Foster.

MORE MONEY PAID TO FAIR GROUP IN STATE ALLOCATION

A check from the State Department of Finance for \$7,196.25, representing the balance of the \$13,796.25 granted to the 17th District Agricultural Association of Nevada County for the fair activities during the current year was received at the Grass Valley office recently.

The sum will be deposited to the account of the association for checking only on those items which are included in the budget of the county group approved by the Department of Finance.

The remaining \$6,600 had been awarded previously for premiums at the second annual fair last year.

DIRECTORS DISCUSS PROGRESS OF LOCAL PETITION AT MEET

Directors of the Truckee Chamber of Commerce met Monday afternoon to review the progress of the petition being circulated here asking the board of supervisors to call a special election to determine if Truckee shall become incorporated. While it is possible that the required number of signatures has been obtained, it was decided to retain the document for another week at least to gain as many additional signers as possible.

SURPLUS CLOTHING TO UNEMPLOYED

Surplus foods valued at \$439,383.39 were distributed to the unemployed in the State Relief Administration's Districts 1 and 2 comprising 19 counties, including Nevada, during the 12-month period just reported, it was announced by Walter Chambers, administrator for the SRA.

During the same period, which extended from November, 1938 to October, 1939, \$274,985.61 worth of surplus clothing and household articles were distributed.

Food weighed 6,738,746 pounds. The clothing comprised 293,890 units or 40 items of clothing for each family on relief during the year.

Youthful Skiers In Nevada Meet

Truckee Lacks Training As First Inter-School Meet Held

Youthful skiers of this area attended the Interscholastic Ski Federation meet held at Mount Rose Saturday. Previous reports were that the meet would be held at Galena Creek but snow conditions prevented that location.

Reno high school students were the hosts with Truckee, Tahoe City, Portola and Auburn competing in the slalom and downhill races. Each of the school members will stage a meet on their home course during the season.

Both Truckee and Tahoe City were handicapped by lack of entries to make a good showing.

Helen Worden of the Tahoe school won third place in both the slalom and downhill races. Two other Tahoe entries, Pietro Vanni and Richard Carnell, placed well up among the first ten entries. Carnell had best time of any contestant in the first run of the slalom but fell on the second run.

Other Tahoe entrants were Florence Nelson, and Jack Steinheimer. The students were accompanied by Henry Worden, vice president of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club and Walter Mandeville, coach.

Miss Anna Marie Munro, Byron Johnson, Dave Renner and Coach Robert Bowers accompanied the following youthful skiers of the local high school: Raymond Saibini, captain; Keith Weeden, Jimmie Thomas, Ralph Hensley and Dorothy Barrett.

Reno took high place in the meet with Portola second, Tahoe third and Truckee fourth.

The local group has not had sufficient practice to compete on such a course as Mount Rose with success but all voted the experience valuable.

STATE PATROLMEN WILL BENEFIT BY SALARY ARGUMENT

STOCKTON, Jan. 25.—(UP)—Maxwell Willens and Donald Boscoe, Stockton attorneys, announce they had won a \$50,000 settlement of back pay claims for 460 state highway patrolmen.

The claims were based on the action of the state director of finance in refusing to approve a \$200 minimum salary authorized for the state patrolmen by the personnel board in 1937. The patrolmen appealed to the courts and while their case was pending, an out of court settlement was arranged.

The Stockton attorneys said the settlement would mean between \$50 and \$200 for each patrolman in the state in service at the time of the personnel board action. Distribution will begin as soon as technicalities can be completed.

DAUGHTER BORN

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.—Tahoe friends were interested to hear this week of the birth of a daughter, Georgene, on January 16, to Mr. and Mrs. John Maderos of Sacramento. Mrs. Maderos was formerly Catherine Bacchi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bacchi of Lake Forest.

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New Record Set As 15,000 Enjoy Summit Sports

Few Are Injured As Throng Gathers On Donner Summit

Believed to have set an all time record for winter sports crowds in this vicinity, more than 15,000 fans congregated on Donner Summit last Sunday to frolic in the ideal snow and enjoy the exhilarating atmosphere.

Resorts and storekeepers reported the biggest day in their history as thousands of cars lined the highways and extra trains brought hundreds to the recreational spot.

Although reports had as many as half a hundred injured with at least a score of broken leg in the list of casualties, it was learned authentically that two suffered broken limbs and less than ten were even hurt in a minor degree.

Dr. J. H. Bernard, who established a temporary emergency office at Soda Springs, said he was called upon to treat only two persons and that to his knowledge only six were hurt.

LIONS ENTERTAINED AS PICTURES ARE SHOWN, EXPLAINED

Verne Shattuck, manager of the Donner Theater here, last night showed three interesting and amusing films to more than a score of Lions who attended the weekly dinner meeting at the California Cafe. Two educational pictures and a cartoon provided the enjoyable program and at the conclusion Shattuck explained the operation of latest type moving picture equipment, having one of the intricate machines with the talking apparatus at the meeting. Evolution of the industry forms an interesting subject.

SKIERS WARNED BY FOREST OFFICIAL AFTER TRAGEDY

NEVADA CITY, Jan. 25.—The recent tragic accident that claimed the life of Frans Wiessing in the flower of his youth is timely emphasis on the importance of observing the cardinal rule of staid skiing: Never go off the beaten path alone, states DeWitt Nelson, supervisor of the Tahoe National Forest.

It was on the Big Bend district of the Tahoe forest that Wiessing lost his life and the search which ultimately resulted in the finding of his body was conducted by District Ranger John R. Hodgson.

Wiessing, although an expert skier with considerable experience in both Europe and America and in perfect physical condition, was found at the end of his trail after having covered nearly 100 miles in apparently aimless wandering.

Even the most experience skier, Nelson said, is likely to have an accident on the trail that will render him comparatively helpless. In such a time, a companion may mean the difference between life and death. Snow covered country always looks entirely different on the way back, Nelson said, and even when traveling in a group in new country it is well to look back frequently and get the topography fixed in mind.

A little food should be carried and first aid equipment, but above all matches. If lost the party should find a spot where they will be most protected from the cold and yet visible from the surrounding country and if possible build a fire that will guide searchers to them.

INCOME TAX MAN TO AID IN COMPILING TAX RETURNS HERE

William Malloy, deputy collector of internal revenue, was in Truckee yesterday and announced that he would be at the Tahoe Inn at Tahoe City on February 28 to assist taxpayers in preparing their federal income tax returns. En route to and from Tahoe he will aid local people in the annual problem.

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EDITORIALS

HOME TOWN HEADLINES

If True significance in news could compete with the merely sensational in capturing banner headlines, a story broke last week which should rate a play across the board. N. W. Ayers & Son's new Directory of Newspapers and Periodicals reports that the total of American newspapers increased during 1939 from 13,195 to 13,281, with the major increase in small-town weeklies and small-town dailies. Behind those statistics is a story of resourcefulness and courage—the drama of ten thousand hamlets and towns.

Not many years ago—with development of high-speed cars and highways bringing rural purchasers within easy shopping reach of metropolitan "emporiums" with metropolitan papers printing special ad-packed editions for rural distribution, and with radio advertising of national brands reaching the remotest homes—small-town retail business was hard hit. Pessimists saw the home merchant on the way out and with his decline they foresaw community stagnation dropping of property values, dwindling employment. Particularly gloomy seemed the outlook in California where there is comfortable year-round motoring and where highways are the nation's best. But rural and suburban businessmen—and business women—chose to fight back, asking no quarter. Stores were modernized. Merchants turned nationally advertising to their own advantage by stocking with the best and freshest goods, meeting the most attractive "city bargain" prices—and proceeding to inform their fellow townsmen, through local advertising, that they had their city rivals licked, on price, quality and service and stood ready to prove it all times.

How well they have succeeded is attested in those newspaper statistics. The newspapers weathered the storm with their advertisers, and may take a bow for maintaining the circulation that gives advertising force. But if the home business man had taken it lying down, many a newspaper would have been hard put to survive. There'd be fewer, instead of more of them today. And so the story revealed by those cold figures is news—real headline news—for California home towns, from border to border.

BEING AN AMERICAN

It is good to be an American at all times, but when the machines of death in Europe haunt the skies, bristle along frontiers and prowl upon the seas, it is doubly a blessing to be an American.

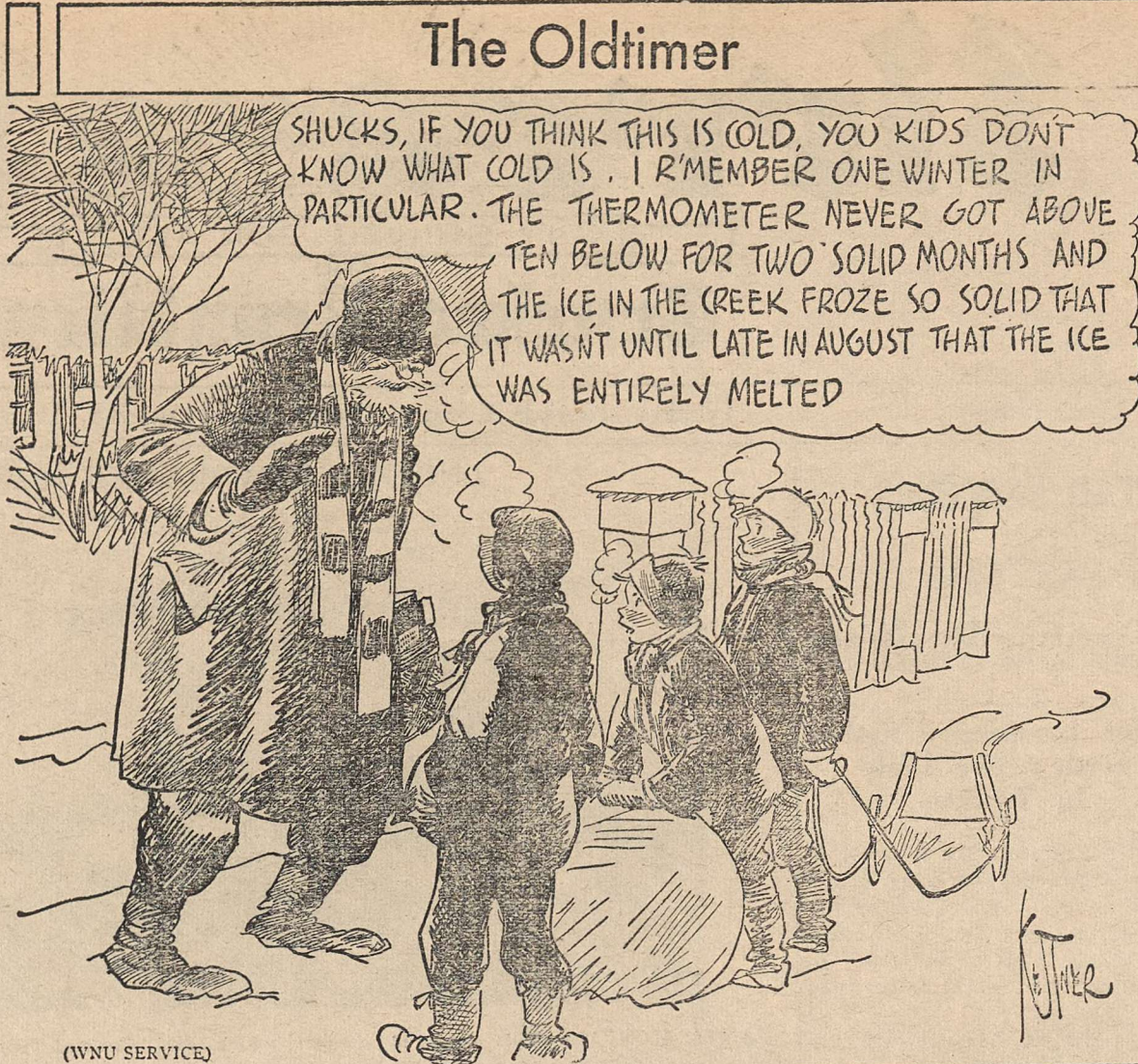
Are the reasons hard to find? Were you a Tommy Atkins, serving king and country in war, today you might be entombed in a submarine lying on the floor of the North Sea, as were scores of other Tommy Atkinses last week when their submarines met disaster at the hands of the watchful enemy.

Were you John Pickwick, workman, not yet called to the colors for England's cause, more than one-third of your wages—small though they might be—would be taken from you for the government's war chest.

Were you Josef Potocky, Polish grocer, guilty of no greater crime than having fought to save your country and survived, you would be quartered in a concentration camp with thousands of others, and left there to live or die.

Were you Carlos Mendoza, ex-Loyalist fighter, you would be sequestered in a concentration camp in France, fearful of returning to your wife and children in the homeland lest you be greeted by the welcoming music of a firing squad and put to rest under the bloodstained Spanish earth.

Were you Ivan Ivanovich, you might have the privilege of dying in some God-forsaken Finnish forest, shot by some-



(WNU SERVICE)

THURMAN SEEKS OPINIONS OF NEVADA VOTERS ON PENDING LEGISLATION IN STATE

To the People of Nevada County:

The Governor of California has called a special session of the state legislature which will convene next Monday, January 29th. As your representative in the lower house I am appealing to you, the voters of Nevada County through the Sierra Sun, for guidance and any suggestion you may have regarding the matters which are to come before the special session.

Irrespective of what my personal opinions on legislative matters may be, I have always tried to follow the policy of complying with the wishes of the majority of the people I represent. I believe that your representatives in the legislature are elected to serve the people of the district they represent and are not sent to Sacramento to play politics. I have tried sincerely to follow that policy and because of that policy I have declined invitations to attend recent political caucuses which have been held for the purpose of discussing pending legislation from a more or less party standpoint. So please believe me when I say that I am trying to serve you, the people, and not any group of politicians.

Representing as I do the largest assembly district in the state it has been impossible for me to cover the entire district as I would like to cover it and visit with all the voters.

one they said was your "enemy", or of being left wounded on the snow while the merciless cold winds made your blood sluggish and slowed your heart until it ceased ticking forever.

Were you Franz Schmidt, World War veteran, you would find your sons now in the trenches—even as you yourself were 25 years ago—facing death for themselves, leaving a sword of terrible fear dangling over your head.

At all times it is good to be an American. Today it is good fortune in the highest.

However, I expect to visit Truckee before spring and at that time will be glad to meet with any citizen or group of citizens.

The majority of the voters I am sure are familiar with the matters which will come before the legislature at the special session. The Governor's program has been widely published in the press of the state and I need not go into detail regarding the various matters.

The problem of the old age pension and relief will no doubt be the most important items on the calendar. Taxation and revenue matters and liquor control will also be important measures to come before us.

I would appreciate the people of this district writing me their opinions on the following points:

Do you want the old age eligibility requirements reduced from 65 to 60 years of age?

Do you want the relief problem to be continued to be administered by a state agency or would you prefer to have the supervision and administration handled by your own county agency?

Do you want the legislature to approve the production for use program as proposed by the governor?

Do you believe that the liquor control should be taken out of the hands of the State Board of Equalization and placed in the hands of a new board to be selected by the

governor?

Do you favor the proposed revenue and taxation program or do you desire your legislators to continue to be economy minded?

The answers to these five points will greatly reflect upon the position I will have to take in approaching

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governmental economy and the enactment of new revenue laws to obtain additional taxes upon the people of California.

I do not expect the people of this district to advise me as to the solution of the problem, but would appreciate as definition of policy as it relates to relief, pensions and additional taxes.

It is my one desire to serve the people in this district in the manner that they deem is for the best interests of all concerned and I can only do this by soliciting their advice and council.

You may address me at Sacramento in care of the state assembly.

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LAKE TAHOE NEWS

"NEWS & VIEWS ABOUT THE LAKE"

By Anne B. Anderson

Truckee Skiers Win In Junior Ski Meet Held At Tahoe On Weekend

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.— The scheduled Junior Ski meet was held on the Ski Hill Sunday with contestants entered from Truckee, Tahoe and other communities.

Results of the three events were as follows: downhill race—Harry Digesti, Truckee, first; Richard Carnell, Tahoe, second; Jim Thomas, Truckee, third. Jumping—Harry Digesti, Truckee, first; Richard Carnell, Tahoe, second and Kenny Foster, Truckee, third. Slalom—Richard Carnell, first; Jimmie Thomas, second; Pete Vanni, third and August Esola of Truckee, fourth.

The weather and snow conditions were perfect and hundreds of ski fans were on the hill and rink Sunday. President Floyd Carnell directed the meet, ably assisted by C. W. Vernon and Walter Mandeville as judges and Henry Worden and Robert Adams as time keepers. Refreshments in the warming hut were served by Mr. and Mrs. Dyke Moore. Officers of the club have invited all the contestants who entered the meet from Truckee and Tahoe to be guests of the club Friday at which time the prizes will be awarded.

MOUNTAIN QUAIL IN TAHOE BEING FED

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.— Game Warden William LaMarr of Tahoe City reports the presence of numerous flocks of mountain quail in the lake region which he is feeding as they can no longer make their way over the range to the lower altitudes because of the snow.

A herd of seven or eight deer is being fed by J. E. Pomin of Idlewild. A young fawn which was hit by a car on the highway near Boca receiving a badly injured leg, is being cared for by C. Tollefson of the Big Chief camp.

Meeks Bay residents were grieved over the recent loss of the young pet buck "Tahoe" which some small animal injured so badly that he had to be killed. "Tahoe" was in his pen at the time of his attack.

PRESIDENT'S BALL WILL BE HELD AT TAHOE SAT.

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.— Plans are going forward for the annual President's Birthday Ball to be held at Tahoe Community Center next Saturday night. Carl Bechdolt, Sr., is in charge of the arrangements and a good time is promised all attending.

JIM WORDEN PROVES HIMSELF HERO OF SUN VALLEY MEET

With a broken leg, James Worden, member of the Tahoe Ski Club got to his feet and skied 30 feet to take sixth place in the downhill race at Sun Valley Sunday. This position gained by the brave skier, enabled California's team in the Jeffers Cup competition to win highest honors.

The cup was presented to the Tahoe youth by the officials at a banquet which followed the meet.

Worden reached within 30 feet of the finish line, when he fell. Not knowing the seriousness of the injury, he rose and in the heat of the close contest, flew over the finish line and collapsed.

Jimmie is recovering at his home in Tahoe but will be out of competition for some time.

The Tahoe Club may well be proud to have such a courageous youth in the membership and a brilliant future in snow sports is seen for the boy.

The Tahoe team members all returned Monday.

Other winners included Kathleen Starratt, who was seventh in the downhill, seventh in the slalom and sixth in the combined event—putting her in third ranking position on the women's team representing California.

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.— Word was received at Tahoe Sunday night of the following places won by the Tahoe contestants on the victorious California team in the Jeffers Cup Ski meet at Sun Valley during the past weekend.

Saturday in the downhill race, Carl Bechdolt, Jr., won second place; James Worden won fifth place and Billy Bechdolt placed 24th. Sunday in the jumping competition Bechdolt won fifth and in the slalom on the same day Carl Bechdolt won 12th and his brother, Billy, alternate man on the team was 18th.

An unfortunate finish to the downhill race for James Worden was a fall which resulted in him breaking a bone in one leg, keeping him from entering any of the Sunday events.

PARTY PLANNED BY TAHOE SKI CLUB FOR THIS WEEK

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.— At the regular meeting of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club in the Community Center Friday night, 50 members and guests were present. Plans were made for a benefit dinner party to be held in the hall tomorrow when several card games will be in play. Further plans for stringing lights on the ice rink were made. Skating on the pond after the meeting occupied the younger members while others enjoyed playing cards.

MRS. WELSH OF LAKE TAHOE EXPIRES AT HOME IN SOUTH

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.—Word was received at Tahoe this week of the death of Mrs. A. J. Welsh of Kings Beach who died suddenly in Los Angeles on Saturday, January 13.

Interment was in Reno on January 16. Mrs. Welsh was well known in Sparks and Tahoe communities. Surviving relatives include her husband, three daughters, several grandchildren and a number of great grandchildren. E. E. Valverde is a nephew.

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TWO CARS COLLIDE ON BAD CURVE ON LAKE TAHOE ROAD

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.— A head-on collision between two cars at Vanni's Point near Tahoe City was reported Saturday night about 5:30 o'clock when cars driven by Thomas McCarthy and Alfred Powers, both of Kings Beach crashed. None was injured but Powers car was badly damaged. There is a bad curve at the point but as neither car was going fast no great damage was done.

ARMENTS PARENTS OF DAUGHTER BORN ON JANUARY 16TH

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.— Tahoe friends will be interested to learn of the arrival of a daughter, Jacqueline Irene, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Arment of Tahoe Park and Oaokland, which occurred in the bay city January 16. The young lady weighed 6 and a half pounds. Arment was forest ranger in charge of Tahoe Park campground last summer and he and Mrs. Arment made many local friends while here.

LAKE RISES AS SNOW FALLS IN TAHOE REGION THIS WEEK

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.— The level of Lake Tahoe on Monday was 6225.18 feet. Temperatures for the preceding 24 hours varied from a high of 39 degrees to a low of 19 degrees. Barometers were dropping slightly Sunday and the snowpack at the lake level had settled to 17 inches but several feet still remained at the ski hill and on the slopes. All highways are open around the lake to Emerald Bay and are in fine condition, being dry in most places.

BAY CITY ATTORNEY IS SUED IN OIL CASE

According to a press dispatch from San Francisco, the Anglo California National Bank of that city has sued in the superior court for the recovery of \$160,000 from John Francis Neylan, its former attorney.

The complaint states that Neylan failed to perform his duty as an attorney for the bank when he represented that institution and Herbert Fleishacker, former president of the bank in the Kern County oil lands case.

SNOW ADDED TO TAHOE PACK TO MAKE GOOD SKIING

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 25.— Barometers had dropped slightly on Tuesday and snow fell all day. One inch of new powder snow fell Monday night leaving .06 of an inch precipitation. The lake level Tuesday was 6225.18 feet.

Indications were for a good coat of fresh powder snow for ski fans.

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TAHOE NEWS BRIEFS

By Anne B. Anderson

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Henry with their daughter, Patricia, are guests at the home of the former's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Shedwick Henry at Rosemead, Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Darlin with their son, Larry, returned Saturday from Oakland where they spent the holiday season.

Constable Harry Johanson of Tahoe Park returned Saturday from a three day visit in Sacramento.

Mrs. John Stevens was given a surprise birthday party Wednesday afternoon when the members of the newly formed Music Appreciation Club who were scheduled to meet at her home that day appeared bringing birthday gifts to the hostess. After the music hour, sewing and knitting were the diversions of the afternoon, following which refreshments were served by the hostess. Guests included Mrs. William La Marr, Mrs. John Burns, Mrs. Tejas Edwards, Robert and Elaine Edwards.

Mrs. Joe Duffee of Lake Forest presented several fine books to the Tahoe Branch library last week.

Miss Helen Towne with a party of guests opened the family home at Sunnyside for the weekend of winter sports.

A merry houseparty of winter sport fans was entertained at the H. C. Bradbury home at Tahoe Park over the weekend. They were from San Leandro.

The M. Curtis home near Carnelian Bay was opened by members of the family who entertained friends at a winter sports party.

Miss Lillian Vernon of Lakeview Drive has been spending the holiday vacation at her home and has left for Berkeley where she will resume her classes at the University of California.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gallinger of the Bittencourt Tract will leave on Friday for Auburn where Mrs. Gallinger planned to attend the Placer County board of education meeting before going south for the winter vacation.

Mrs. Evelyn Bliss will accompany the Gallingers to Auburn where she will be the guest of Dr. and Mrs. R. Mackay, later going to San Francisco and Los Angeles.

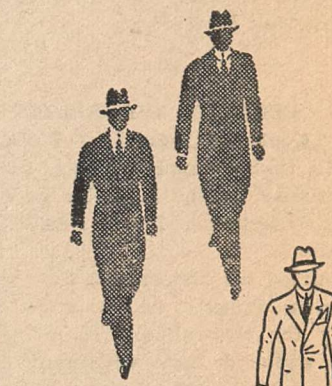
Hank Searls with a group of young friends spent the weekend at Tahoe.

Among the ski fans at the Sierra Club at Norden last weekend were the Misses Carol and Janice Droste of Tahoe and Berkeley.

Miss Faith Pyle is a guest of her uncle Bert Seymour of Sparks for several weeks.

Miss C. Zinsmeister of the University of California has been vacationing at the Carnelian Bay home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Zinsmeister. The family have been participating in winter sports of the Tahoe Ski Club.

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TRUCKEE LUMBER COMPANY GIANT CONCERN IN 1870'S

Following is still another of a series of articles being taken from Edwards' Tourist Guide and History of the Truckee Basin. Published in 1883 by C. F. Edwards, at that time editor of the Truckee Republican.

LEADING INDUSTRIES Continued from Last Week

His timber supply which is in close proximity to the mill, he considers sufficient to last for at least twenty years.

During his sixteen years as a mill man in Truckee, he has worked entirely for the railroad company and has supplied them with millions of feet of lumber of all sizes, styles and dimensions. Although quite an old man, Mr. Ellen is hale rugged and hearty, a fine specimen of hardy pioneer and a living example of what indomitable energy, combined with sterling honesty and firm intent of purpose will do.

George Shaffer's mill is located in Martis Valley, about two and a half miles southeast of Truckee. A splendid road leads from town to the mill and village, for such it may be

termed, Mr. Shaffer having built for himself a comfortable summer residence surrounded it with houses for the accommodation of his employees.

Here he has a little community of his own and visitors are always welcome and treated with royal courtesy. Mr. Schaffer is a keen business man and has seized upon every advantage of locality and improvement that experience and foresight could suggest. Although no natural streams supply the very necessary adjunct to milling property in this section, he has constructed an artificial mill pond, capable of holding three million feet of logs, the water in which is supplied by a flume from Martis Creek, a mile above.

From the mill another flume gives immediate connection with his yards in Truckee, the water passing under the mill taking the lumber directly from the saw carrying it rapidly along and depositing it in the yard at Truckee three miles distant with little or no expense.

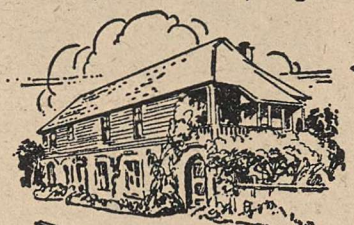
During the summer season the scene is a brisk one. The ox teamster's halloo "haw Buck," "gee Brin" resound through the mighty forests. The logs are drawn and placed in the pond, the water carries them directly to the teeth of the saws; sturdy mill men, moving with the same precision as does the ponderous machinery, places them in posi-

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All America connects the Mardi Gras with New Orleans and the beginning of Lent. Yet this gay festival had its origin in Mobile, Alabama, not New Orleans—and it was to celebrate New Year's Day, not Shrove Tuesday. The hotel still stands where this first celebration occurred in 1831.

← WET DRY DOCK

Page Barnacle Bill! Lake Union, in the city of Seattle, Washington, is a fresh water lake connected by the largest ships' canal in America to the salt waters of Puget Sound. When ocean liners lay up in Lake Union the barnacles fall right off their hulls—killed by fresh water. No scraping, no drydocking needed!



OLDEST HOUSE, OLDEST TOWN

Back in the middle of the 16th century the oldest residence of white people in the United States was built in St. Augustine, Florida, the oldest white settlement. For 292 years this house belonged to one family—quite a record in this land of Mayday moving!



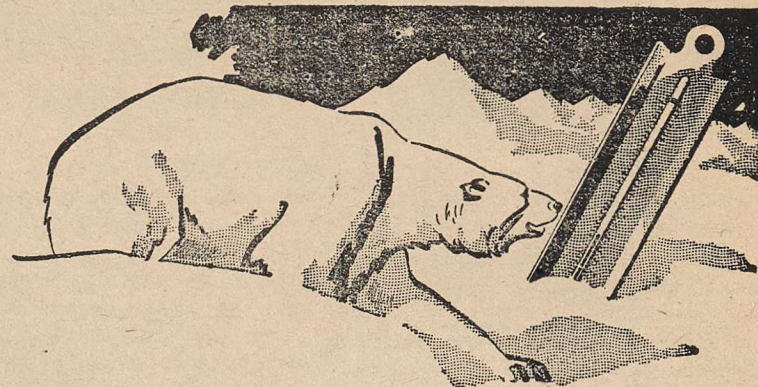
handily.

Jordan had a small staff when he went into office and many have come through the years with him. Few were added despite the fact the duties of the office grew tremendously as California expanded by leaps and bounds. The office, without

doubt, is one of the most efficient in state service.

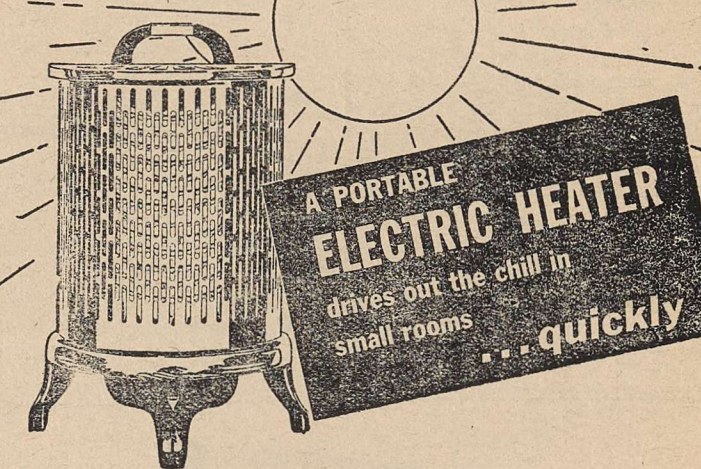
Island Old Penal Colony

Hainan island, once occupied by the Japanese, was used as a penal colony between the Fifteenth and Seventeenth centuries.

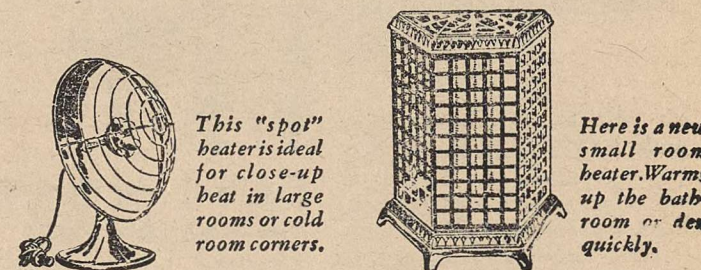


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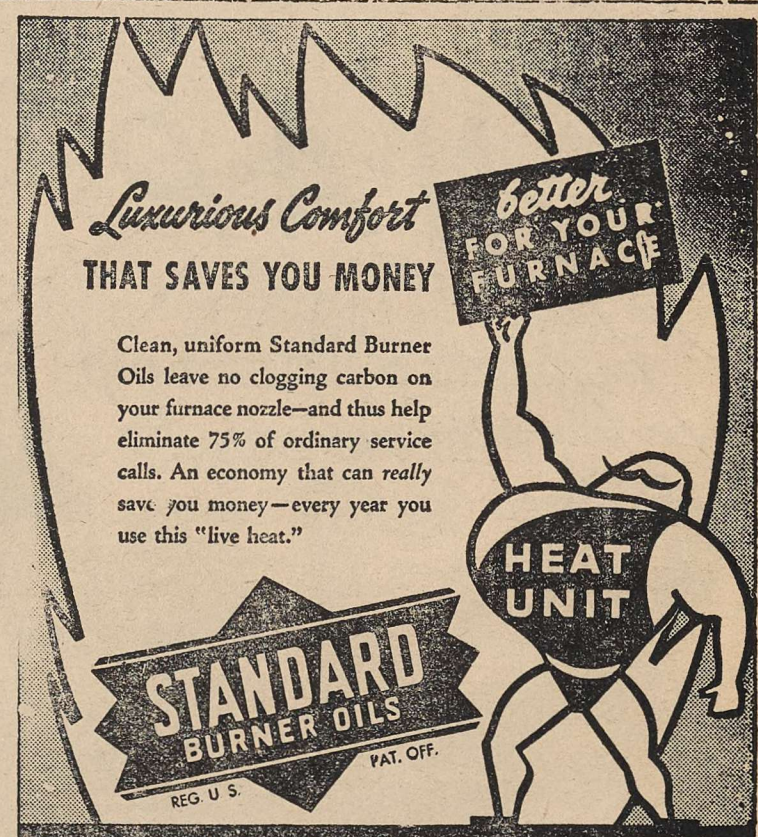


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tion. The never satisfied merciless teeth of the great saws eat their way through immense forest pines, the lumber, bright, fresh and yellow falls into the flume and what a few days before was a towering monarch is floating rapidly along, soon to be seized by other hands and piled humbly into immense stacks of lumber, ready for the mechanic's skill. During the winter the pond is drained of its water and the logs lay in the bottom waiting for the spring sun to melt the mountain snows.

Mr. Schaffer, has a timber tract of about 6,000 acres of as fine pine and fir timber as grows above the ground and the supply will last for years. The accessibility of the mill to Truckee makes it available for strangers and others who desire to observe the modus operandi of lumbering in the high Sierra.

Not only as a pioneer, but as one of the most extensive of all mills and factories in and about Truckee, controlling as they do about 12,000 acres of timber land, with the most extensive lumber mill, consuming over 20,000,000 feet of lumber each season, the Truckee Lumber company may be said to lead the van. A brief resume of what they do will doubtless prove interesting to the reader. Employing large numbers of men in Truckee and the camps about, they probably pay out more money that directly benefits Truckee than any other concern. They ship very largely to the east and south, Ogden, Salt Lake and south to Arizona the products of their factory and mill. No mean portion of their industry in the manufacturing of packing boxes, they last year consuming 9,000,000 feet of lumber in this branch of the business. Last year they employed in San Francisco sixty men in nailing together boxes made at the factory in Truckee and shipped to that market. This year they have put in a full outfit of machinery in San Francisco and shipping lumber from the mill here, manufacture all small orders on the spot. They also manufacture furniture of all kinds at their factory in Truckee, using last year nearly 1,500,000 feet of lumber for that purpose. They also manufacture doors, sash and blinds which they began in 1873. Messrs. Brickell and Kuger are both men of large experience in the lumbering business and everything connected with the various departments is conducted with system and order. They have a large store in Truckee from which they supply different camps and also do a large general store business in addition. Everything is kept that can be mentioned.

In connection with their factory they have a well organized fire department, with a first-class engine and hose carriage all provided in a neat and substantial engine house. The boys are proud of their machine and the citizens have had reason to prompt attendance upon Truckee fires.

BOCA Next Week

Zenobia Has Two Meanings

The name Zenobia has two meanings: Arabic, "her father's ornament," and Greek, "born of Zeus." Zenobia, queen of Palmyra, was overthrown by Rome in the Third century and led as a captive in a triumphal procession. But the grandeur of her position and the glamour of her beauty still cling to her name.

Fair Manager



William W. Monahan, former Graduate Manager of the University of California, new General Manager of the California World's Fair. He has been working night and day to bring many new shows to Treasure Island. Work is being speeded in every department for the big opening, May 25th.

Politically Speaking

by JOHN W. DUNLAP
United Press Staff Correspondent

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 25.—(UP)—From a stake of 35 cents, Frank C. Jordan built a career that made him one of the best known men in California, the nation's ranking secretary of state and a genuine friend to all who knew him.

Frank Jordan was one of those kindly men with a smile at all times. His joviality carried him through many a situation. And his unusual vitality and strength kept him going many years past life's expectancy. At 79, pitted against the uremic poisoning which followed an operation, his constitution held on tenaciously.

The popularity of Frank Jordan was attested by the overwhelming margin he received at the polls each time he was reelected. He was known throughout the state and hundreds of visitors to the state capitol dropped in to say hello. His office door was never closed to anyone.

His start as secretary of state is quite an interesting story in itself. Jordan had been in Sacramento as a senator's secretary, stepped up to county clerk of Alameda county and became supreme court clerk. His many friends in San Francisco were considerably surprised when he confided in 1909 he planned to run for secretary of state.

A friendly bartender asked him how much capital he had to start with. Jordan turned up exactly 35 cents. The bartender handed over five \$20 gold pieces and wished him good luck. Jordan got as far as Eureka and ran out of money. The astounding bartender got a ban! draft for \$100 and was game enough to honor it. Another arrived a few days later and still more. Jordan benefactor could afford to make good the drafts and the election was won.

At the Churches

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Morning Worship at 11 a. m. with sermon by the minister.
YOUNG PEOPLES LEAGUE... 6 p. m.

PLACER BOARD IN ANNUAL MEETING SELECTS OFFICIALS

William Haines has been reelected to serve as chairman of the Placer County Board of Supervisors and is beginning his 18th year as a member of that group.

Charles Geisendorfer of Colfax was elected to represent the county on the governing board of the Weimar Sanatorium to another year.

Supervisor Jack Shelley of Roseville was named to represent the supervisors on the county hospital committee and will be assisted by Supervisors Haines and John Boyington.

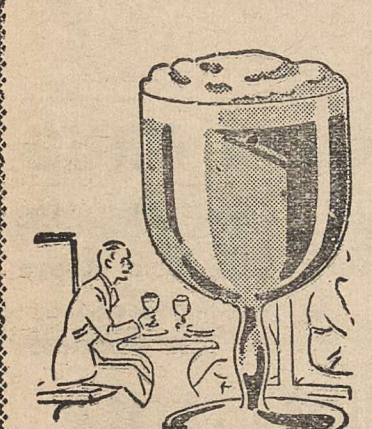
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POLITICAL PARADE

By CLEM WHITAKER

Editor's Note—With a special session of the State Legislature called to consider demands for new taxes, the following article by Clem Whitaker, revealing the staggering pace of tax increases, is particularly timely.

No one, it is said, understands a billion dollars—except a politician. And he only understands how to spend it!

That double-edged quip may explain, partially at least, why California's tax bill has more than doubled in the short span of six years—and now totals nearly A BILLION DOLLARS ANNUALLY.

Government spending has become so colossal that the ordinary man, trying to keep one jump ahead of the bill collector, simply can't comprehend it. He just isn't trained to think or argue in billions!

But in modern day government unless taxpayers are eternally vigilant—and even downright belligerent—a half billion leads to a billion, and one billion leads to another. As Exhibit A, consider the following thumbnail sketch of California tax increase during the past six years:

For the fiscal year, 1932-33, California's total tax bill—federal, state and local aggregated \$449,409,672.

Last year the bill had catapulted to \$918,792,844.

In other words, California's tax burden, in six years, had more than doubled. That's the effect of a half billion that grew to nearly a billion.

Local government, probably because it is closer to the tax payer, kept on a fairly even keel during the six year period. The total of all local property taxes in California—county, city and district—was \$263,855,718 for the fiscal year, 1932-33 and had only increased to \$297,973,000 by the end of 1938-39.

Federal and state taxes, on the other hand, broke all bounds and more than trebled. In 1932-33 fiscal period, the federal government collected \$94,674,184 from California. Last year, it boosted its "take" to the stupendous sum of \$308,969,135. State government even topped that, jumping its bill from \$90,876,770, six years ago, to \$311,850,709 for the 12 months just ended.

And California citizens who have never dealt in billions—the man who works for wages, the farmer, the doctor, the housewife and the Main Street merchant—are now paying A BILLION DOLLARS A YEAR IN TAXES!

The story of 1940, however, is yet to be written. That story will be told in a large part, at the special session of the state legislature, soon to convene in Sacramento.

BANK REVIEW SHOWS WEST GAINING IN BUILDING PERMITS

Manager Yell Noble of the Bank of America here said this week that continued gain in California and Far Western business reflected in the business review for December just received by the bank's analysis and research department.

Bank of America's business index rose to 78.9, a new high since September 1937.

Building permits, for all types of construction issued in 32 principal cities of the state totalled \$13,943,541 in value. This is a decline of five per cent from the previous month. But in home building, permits were valued at \$9,320,000, a "less than seasonal decline" of six per cent from November and a gain of 19 per cent over December 1938.

New car sales in California totalled 21,337, five per cent higher than in November.

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A WINE SET UP

THESE smiling pickers play a heavy role in the grape industry of Chile, which had its start back in the 1540's. Today's large luscious fruit is descended from a small black grape—afterwards known as *copa chilena*—which Francisco de Caravantes, a churchman, introduced into what is now Chile in the decade of the sixteenth century. He brought it over, it is thought, from the Spanish peninsula or the Canary Islands. A decade later there were large vineyards around Santiago, Concepcion, and La Serena. Climate and soil were so favorable that the vineyards flourished amazingly and it was not long before the wines of Chile began seriously to threaten the popularity of the mother country's own wines. Thereupon the King of Spain issued a royal decree forbidding wine growing in Spain's provinces. But the king's edict could not stop the

spread of the vineyards in Chile's fertile soil, so a sales tax was levied. In spite even of this, however, the Chilean vintages sold for 18c for an arroba. Spain's 10-gallon measure, and by skin and keg continued to rejoice the palates of Spain's Indies. After the Liberation, naturally Chilean viticulture proceeded unchecked. In 1831 there were more than 20,000,000 vines in Chile—the vines were bottled for the first time and prices rose. Today Chile is the seventh wine-producing country in the world. Her wines command the deep respect of the wine-loving world. Travelers taking the 38-Day Cruises to Chile are always pleasantly shocked at the prices—excellent wines down there at the present very favorable rates of exchange can be purchased for fifteen or twenty cents per bottle. The industry which Spain tried to check has gained world-wide importance. —EDNA MAE STARK

CALIFORNIA SPEAKS

WALTER H. FINK, Redding publisher, commenting on how city's famous volunteer fire department dealt with million dollar blaze—

"About 3,000 people watched the fire—and 500 were fire chiefs."

CLARK SHAUGHNESSY, Stanford's new coach—It's no more the duty of a coach to round up football players than it is the duty of the faculty to round up students to teach.

...SECRETARY OF INTERIOR ICKES—"I really could not discuss it (the Central Valley Power bill) intelligently. I think the idea of the Governor, as I understand it, was that he wanted to set up something in the nature of a TVA... Whether or not it is necessary or desirable, I do not know."

EDWARD A. LEIST, S. F. bank teller, after attempted holdup—"The man came up to my window, but thinking he was another customer I paid little attention."

SENATOR JOHN PHILLIPS, Banning, describing a radical leader in relief administration—"He is a worker in the vineyard where the grapes all grow on the left side of the vine."

MAYOR FRANK S. GAINES, Berkeley—"Those who cry loudest vote the least."



Meaning of Name Zachary
Zachary is a short form of the Hebrew Zachariah or Zechariah but is used as an independent name. Both mean "remembered by the Lord," writes Florence A. Cowles in the Cleveland Plain Dealer. Little is known of Zechariah, Hebrew prophet who wrote the book of the Bible which bears his name, but he was evidently a man of great influence. St. Zacharias was pope in the Eighth century. President Zachary Taylor, who died (1850) 16 months after taking office, is the most eminent bearer of the name this country has produced.

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In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seal this 9th day of January, 1940.

C. J. BOWERS,
G. A. BARTON.

State of California,
County of Nevada, ss.

On the 9th day of January, 1940, before me, C. B. White, a notary public in and for the County of Nevada, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared C. J. Bowers and G. A. Barton, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and they duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in said County of Nevada, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

C. B. WHITE,
Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid.

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NO NEW TAXES FOR STATE REQUIRED, CHAMBER REPORTS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—No new taxes are necessary at this time to finance the state's expenditure requirements, directors of the California State Chamber of Commerce, meeting in Los Angeles, January 5, concluded after an analysis of the state's fiscal situation, presented by Sidney M. Ehrman, statewide tax committee chairman.

"As a result of analysis of available data regarding estimates of the state's expenditures and increasing revenues from existing revenue sources," Ehrman reported to the board, "is our feeling that present state taxes are adequate to finance the state's expenditure requirements during the current biennium and at the same time provide adequate fund for relief for those in need. Hence, with the economies that can be effected, no new or additional state taxes or revenue producing measures are necessary to finance current obligations, and any result and cumulative deficit from previous bienniums should be carried on a deficit basis at this time."

RURAL SCHOOLS IN NEED OF REPAIRS, DEXTER REPORTS

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 25.—(UP)—Dr. Walter Dexter, state superintendent of instruction, has advocated to Governor Culbert L. Olson and state relief officials an \$8,000,000 biennial rehabilitation program for the California rural educational centers.

Dr. Dexter suggested that the state relief administration could finance the project and use SRA labor, to include remodeling and repairing of buildings, installation of new floors, roofs and windows, beautification of school grounds and improvement of sanitary facilities.

No. 7564 SUMMONS IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

L. P. McKELVEY, Plaintiff

v.
HENRY C. LICHTENBERGER, ISABELLE McKELVEY, CLARE HARDY, as administratrix of the Estate of A. W. CRAIG, deceased, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto, Defendants.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SEND GREETINGS TO:

HENRY C. LICHTENBERGER, ISABELLE McKELVEY, CLARE HARDY, as administratrix of the Estate of A. W. CRAIG, deceased, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto, Defendants.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED, that an action was brought against you by the abovenamed plaintiff in the Superior Court of the County of Nevada, State of California, by filing a complaint in the office of the Clerk of said Court on the 14th day of December, 1939, in which action L. P. McKELVEY is plaintiff, and you are defendants.

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED TO APPEAR and answer said complaint within ten days from the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, if served on you in said County of Nevada, and within thirty days, exclusive of the day of service, if served elsewhere; and you are further notified that unless you so appear and answer within the time above specified, the plaintiff will take judgment for any money, or damages demanded in the complaint as arising upon contract or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Also you are notified that the object of the said action is to obtain a judgment or decree of said court that all adverse claims to and clouds upon the title of plaintiff to the real property hereinafter described, be determined; that said defendants, known and unknown, have not, and that none of them has, any right, title, lien, estate or interest whatever in, to, or upon said real property, or any part or portion thereof,

It was explained that 38.1 per cent of the state's elementary school buildings, mostly rural, were constructed before 1910. Many of these have poor ventilation, lighting and sanitation facilities.

The PWA contributed \$49,544,715 in loans and grants to more than \$103,000,000 worth of California's years but most of these funds were spent in urban areas. This resulted because the state's rural districts have not had the matching funds necessary to obtain PWA loans and grants for construction.

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and that plaintiff is the sole owner in fee and is entitled to the possession of said real property and the whole thereof, that the defendants and each of them, be forever debarred and enjoined from asserting any claim whatever in, to, upon, or against said real property, adverse to plaintiff's ownership, and for such other, further and different order judgment and relief, as the court may seem meet, and for costs of suit.

The real property concerned in the said action is described as:

All that certain land situate, lying and being in the County of Nevada State of California, and described as follows:

All that portion of the SE¼ of the SE¼ and of the SW¼ of the SE¼ of Section 10, Township 17 North, Range 16 East, M. D. B. & M., described as follows:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of the lot herein described, identical with the Southwest corner of H. C. Lichtenberger's lot, a wire nail set in a 6x6 inch timber at fence corner at the Northernly side of the Sierra Valley Road, from which the Southeast corner of Section 10, T. 17 N. R. 16 E., M. D. M., bears South 83 degrees 33 minutes East 1137.46 feet; thence North 33 degrees 08 minutes West 155.07 feet to the Northeast corner, identical with the Northwest corner of H. C. Lichtenberger's lot an iron bolt set flush in the ground at the Southernly side of Burckhalter Ave., thence along the Southernly side of Burckhalter Ave, South 59 degrees 08 minutes West 202.94 feet to the Northwest corner, identical with the Northeast corner of J. H. Sanders' lot, a bolt ½ inches in diameter, set flush in the ground; thence South 33 degrees 47 minutes East 202.83 feet along the division line between the lot herein described and the J. H. Sanders' lot to fence post an angle in fence; thence South 49 degrees 09 minutes East 9.37 feet to the Southwest corner, identical with the Southeast corner of the J. H. Sanders' lot, a point on a granite rock on top of the stone wall at the Northernly side of Sierra Valley Road, marked with a "V" chiseled on said rock, thence along the Northernly side of said Sierra Valley Road, North 43 degrees 02 minutes East 203.76 feet to the Southeast corner, the place of beginning:

Given under my hand and Seal of the Superior Court of the County of Nevada, State of California, this 14th day of December, 1939.

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Mrs. Catherine Blaney returned on Sunday from a two months visit in San Francisco with her daughter.

Enjoying Vacation—

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weeden and son Bert, Jr., are enjoying a vacation trip during which they planned to visit many interesting places.

Deeds Filed—

Deeds filed in the Placer County court house on January 18 included Henry Droste et ux to Evelyn Bliss, Lt. 16 in Bittencourt subdivision and Harriett E. Clark et con to Violet Lauhlin, Lt. 30 Blk. C Brockway Vista and Emma M. Tomasen to Thomas O. Bradshaw, Lt. 7, Blk. M, Lake Vista.

SCUTTLED LINER'S CREW HOMEWARD BOUND



OAKLAND—In a chilly dawn, these officials discussed arrangements for handling 512 officers and men of the scuttled German liner, Columbus, who will go home by way of Russia.

U. S. Immigration Commissioner J. J. McGrath, left, met two trainloads of crewmen at Oakland, and arranged with Captain William Daonne, center, and San Francisco German consul

Fritz Wiedemann, right, to take the men to Angle Island immigration station until ship passage is provided.

To See Play—

R. Joseph, Mrs. J. Archie and the Misses A. Joseph, Azad and Yvonne Joseph expect to motor to Auburn this evening to see the play "Elizabeth, the Queen," in which Levon Joseph will portray the role of Essex. It is a Placer County Junior College Drama Guild production to be staged at the auditorium of the Placer Union High School.

'Born by the Sea'

Henry Morgan, eminent pirate, was aptly named, for Morgan is derived from the Celtic for "born by the sea."

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City Guest—

Mrs. W. F. Wilkie, Sr., is entertaining Dr. Blanche Culver of San Francisco as her house guest.

Hurt By Fall—

Mrs. A. Pfaendler is reported to be recovering from injuries received when she fell on some ice last week.

Bay City Guests—

Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Guthridge of Oakland spent the weekend here with Miss Catherine Rossarini. Mrs. Guthridge remained after the doctor returned to his home.

The Goodfellow's Cafe—

will be the meeting place for the Truckee Chamber of Commerce on Monday.

Attend Conference—

Rev. and Mrs. G. J. E. Keetch and Miss Mary Pierce drove to Sacramento Tuesday to attend a conference of workers in the children's division of the Sunday schools. The conference was held in the Oak Park Methodist Church.

Prayer Service—

In response to requests for a mid-week prayer service of the church, Rev. J. G. E. Keetch announces that such a service will be held in the parsonage each Thursday evening beginning at 7 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Fresno Bound—

L. R. Jefford left his Grass Valley home last Friday for Fresno where he attended the midwinter conference of the Fourth District of Lions Clubs.

Sheriff Here—

Sheriff Carl Tobiassen was an official visitor here Saturday.

Arrive Here—

Mr. and Mrs. M. Mulligan of Fresno arrived here this week where Milligan will assume his duties at the Summit Airways station. They have taken one of the Cabona houses.

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